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CONTINUATION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 CFR 1.60 of pending prior application Serial No. 08/174,768, filed December 29, 1993, by ELIYAHOU HARARI, ROBERT D. NORMAN and SANJAY MEHROTRA, for "FLASH EEprom SYSTEM."

1. Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the Declaration of the inventors as initially filed in parent application serial no. 07/337,566, filed April 13, 1989, now abandoned, and its six (6) pages of informal drawings. I hereby certify that the attached application papers are a true copy of the parent patent application Serial No. 07/337,566 as originally filed on April 13, 1989, now abandoned, which is the same as pending

application Serial No. 08/174,768 as filed December 29, 1993, as appear in the files of the undersigned attorney, and that no amendments referred to in the oath or declaration (if any) filed to complete the prior application introduced new matter therein.

- 2. A Preliminary Amendment is being filed herewith, adding a Cross-Reference to Related Applications and substituting a new set of claims.
- new set of claims being substituted by the accompanying Preliminary Amendment, a check for which is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-1030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
 - 4. The prior application is assigned of record to SanDisk Corporation of Sunnyvale, California.
 - 5. The Power of Attorney appearing in the prior application is to Gerald P. Parsons (Reg. No. 24,486), Martin F. Majestic (Reg. No. 25,695), J. Suzanne Siebert (Reg. No. 28,758), James S. Hsue (Reg. No. 29,545), Philip Yau (Reg. No. 32,892).
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